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NSF-KOSEF SPONSORED SEMINAR ON MARINE BIOLOGY. KOSEF AD HOC ORGANIZING COMMITTEE FOR MARINE BIOLOGY SEMINAR ELECTED DR. BYUNG DON LEE, PRESIDENT, KOREA OCEAN RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE (KORDI), PO BOX 131, SEOUL 131; TEL. 967-7531 OR 967-8801/9 (KIST), AS SEMINAR COORDINATOR KOREA SIDE AND IDENTIFIED TEN TOPICAL AREAS UNDER THE FIVE FIELDS PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED AT JOINT STAFF MEETING IN JUNE. EIGHTEEN PRINCIPLE INVESTIGATORS-OBSERVERS FROM SIX INSTITUTIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION AS KOREAN DELEGATION FOR VENUE IN SEOUL. COORDINATOR DR. LEE COMPILING RESUMES KOREAN PI'S AND TITLES RESEARCH PAPERS FOR INFO OF US COORDINATOR, WHEN NAMED. IF PLANNING MEETING WITH US COORDINATOR DESIRED, PREFERRED TIME WOULD BE IN LATE OCTOBER WHEN DR. LEE PLANS TRAVEL ON OTHER BUSINESS IN EUROPE. HE SUGGESTS SCHEDULING COINCIDE IF POSSIBLE WITH RETURN TRAVEL THROUGH US TO KOREA. EXACT DATES NOT DECIDED. DR. HOLT'S PARTICIPATION IN COORDINATOR'S MEETING DESIRABLE. KOSEF AND LEE TENTATIVELY SUGGEST SEMINAR CONVEINE IN SEOUL IN WEEK OF 18-24 MAY AND INCLUDE TWO DAYS SITE  
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VISITS MARINE LABORATORIES ENROUTE SEOUL TO PUSAN, DETAILS OF WHICH WOULD BE DISCUSSED WITH US COORDINATOR. IN ADDITION TO NAMES PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED AS POSSIBLE COORDINATORS DR. LEE WISHES TO ADD DR. REITHER, WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTION.  
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